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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: M. J. Kohner
Daiju YOSHINO)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 3653
Application No.: 10/826,314)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 9821
Filed: April 19, 2004)	
	:	December 14, 2006
For: SHEET PROCESSING APPARATUS AND)	
IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS	:	

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AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION OF SWORN
TRANSLATION OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 15, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: